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Subject: Regulation of Retail Forex

Hi:

I feel that imposing onerous regulations is counterproductive in the marketplace. I am against restricting leverage to 10-to-1. If this new rule passes it will dramatically raise the barrier of entry for new traders. Margin requirements will be raised making it difficult for new traders to get started with minimal capital.

I would like to voice my concern against the proposal.

Thank you;

Dr. Luis Méndez

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